

- 1 SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
- 2 effect and be in full force from and after its passage and publication
- 3 in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines,
- 4 Iowa, and the Glenwood Opinion, a newspaper published in Glenwood,
- 5 Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 16, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register April 18, 1923, and the Glenwood Opinion April 18, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 348

MONROE COUNTY

S. F. 744

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants issued by the board of supervisors of Monroe county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the county of Monroe, Iowa, by its board of supervisors did heretofore authorize and incur indebtedness in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) for corporate purposes, as permitted by law, and prior to April 1, 1923, did issue warrants of said county in like amount to evidence such indebtedness in the manner and form required by law; and

WHEREAS, such expenditures were made for proper corporate purposes, and were necessary in order to support, maintain the institutions of said county, protect and repair its roads and bridges and pay ordinary expenses of said county, and such expenditures were greater in amount than usual because of the unsettled business conditions throughout the country, and the county of Monroe is enjoying the use and benefit thereof and the several purposes for which said expenditures were made is well worth the sum which said county contracted should be paid therefor, and the indebtedness of said county at the time said warrants were issued did not and does not at this time, exceed the constitutional limitation; and

WHEREAS, it is not clear under the law whether indebtedness so incurred for such unusual, extraordinary and necessary expenditure is to be considered in ascertaining said county's statutory limit of debt for general ordinary purposes; now therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the acts of the board of supervisors of the county
- 2 of Monroe in making such expenditures for said county and issuing
- 3 warrants therefor in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) as
- 4 aforesaid be and the same are hereby validated.

- 1 SEC. 2. That the aforesaid warrants of the county of Monroe, Iowa,
- 2 in the aggregate sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) be and the
- 3 same are hereby legalized and declared to be valid, legal and subsist-
- 4 ing obligations of said county, and the board of supervisors of said

5 county may issue and sell bonds to fund said warrants, as provided
6 by the laws of the state of Iowa.

1 SEC. 3. Nothing of this act shall affect pending litigation.

1 SEC. 4. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take
2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines
3 Capital, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and
4 the "Albia Union-Republican", a newspaper published in the city of
5 Albia, without expense to the state.

Approved April 18, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital
April 19, 1923, and the Albia Union-Republican April 19, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 349

MUSCATINE COUNTY

LOUISA COUNTY

S. F. 314

AN ACT to legalize the action of the boards of supervisors of Muscatine and Louisa
counties relative to the assessments against state lands in drainage district number
thirteen (13), located in Muscatine and Louisa counties and to authorize the payment
of said assessments.

WHEREAS, the state of Iowa is the owner of 536.41 acres in Keokuk lake
in Muscatine county and 464.97 acres in Odessa lake in Louisa county; and,

WHEREAS, said lakes and lands are a part of joint drainage district num-
ber thirteen (13), located in Muscatine and Louisa counties; and,

WHEREAS, the boards of supervisors of Muscatine and Louisa counties
and the board of appraisers of said joint drainage district number thirteen
(13) have established a drainage district including said land and have
assessed a drainage tax against said land amounting to thirty-eight thou-
sand, seven hundred twenty dollars and sixty-five cents (\$38,720.65)
against land located in Muscatine county and thirty-six thousand, three
hundred twenty-nine dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$36,329.98) against
land located in Louisa county, therefore:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the acts of said boards of supervisors in Muscatine
2 and Louisa counties and the board of appraisers in joint drainage dis-
3 trict number thirteen (13) in Muscatine and Louisa counties in
4 establishing said joint drainage district number thirteen (13) and
5 assessing a tax for the expense thereof against said state land, be
6 and the same is hereby legalized and confirmed in all respects.

1 SEC. 2. There is hereby appropriated and the treasurer of state
2 is hereby authorized to pay out of any funds not otherwise appropri-